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LIAISON I called Marian A. Czarnecki, Chief of Staff, House Committee on International Relations, regarding the letter from a Professor Richardson to Chairman Thomas E. Morgan (D., Pa.) alleging that CIA, DIA and State were planning an invasion of Venezuela. I told him that while there was no substance to the allegation, there was some interesting background I would like to pass on. He said he would not be able to meet with me until after he returns from a trip he will be taking. He said, however, there was no rush on the matter and that he would consider the call an interim reply. He asked me to pass on to Mr. Cary that he needed one copy of the transcript of each briefing on foreign intelligence operations of the Oversight Subcommittee during 1975 by the Director. He needs the transcripts at 0930 hours, 10 October for about 30 minutes.

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LIAISON We have made several attempts to contact Resident Commissioner Jaime Bennitez (Pop. Dem., P. R.) during the week of 6 October, but have been totally unsuccessful. We have left our phone number and asked him to call, something which he has not done. In view of his negative response of last week's telephone conversation regarding EEO contact with the University of Puerto Rico, I can only assume that he does not want to meet with us. I have so notified, Messers.

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OP, and [redacted] CD/WH. We will make a couple of additional attempts to contact Mr. Bennitez, just to be sure.

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LIAISON I called Mike Hornblow, NSC staff, to inform him that the House Subcommittee on International Political and Military Affairs, Committee on International Relations has now asked for the same documents on Mayaguez that GAO had asked for and gave him the flavor of Mike Finley's, on the staff of the Subcommittee, requests. We discussed each of the items and he said he would explore just where everybody stood on release of the Situation Reports, Post Mortem, and Logs and get back to us. He suggested perhaps we should push for a briefing first with any documents to be requested if the briefing is not enough.

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CONSTITUENT Forwarded a package of information on the Agency and intelligence in general, to Susan MacQuiddy, of Representative William L. Armstrong's (D., Colo.) office and Linda Walker, of Representative Charles Thone's (R., Neb.) office, per their requests for constituents.

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